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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION
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This reply is in response to the Official Action mailed December 3, 2002.
Claims 1-3 are pending in this application. No claim amendments are submitted
with this response. Furthermore, no claims are added and no claims are deleted.

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Enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.

NO ADDITIONAL FEE REQUIRED


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